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Title	: MICRO STAPLE FIBER NONWOVEN	
	: FABRIC AND LEATHER-LIKE	
	: ARTICLE IN SHEET FORM, AND	
	: METHOD FOR THEIR PRODUCTION	
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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 13, 2009 and the Advisory Action dated August 18, 2009, the Applicants amend the application as follows: